

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE Atty. Docket No.: 26068-08D In re Application of

Anderson

Serial No.: 09/891,064 Art Unit: 1644

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Title: Human Occludin, Its Uses and Enhancement of Drug Absorption Using Occludin

Inhibitors

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AMENDMENT

Honorable Sir:

This is an Amendment in response to the Office Action mailed September 22, 2003 for the above-identified application.